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Re: Final Long Term Monitoring Plan (LTMP) for Sites 1, 3, and the Eastern Plume, Naval Air Station, Brunswick, Maine

Dear Mr. Coccoli:

The US EPA concurs with the final LTMP for Sites 1, 3, and the Eastern Plume and the accompanying Responses to EPA's comments.

Several remaining issues were discussed at the technical meeting on March 8-9 2000. It was decided that these would be resolved and documented in revision 1 to the final LTMP prior to the Fall monitoring event. In summary, EPA's issues were:

- More specific site 1 and 3 water level gauging language from the 1/15/99 RAB meeting minutes to be inserted.
- Sediment sampling preservation/method determination.
- Revised definition of perimeter wells.
- Documentation of holding time excedances in the reports.
- Verify if separate acceptance criteria is needed for sediment and aqueous samples and revise attachment A-2 as necessary.
- Documentation of general stream flow during sampling.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 617-918-1344 or barry.michael@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

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